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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

KOHL, et al.

Serial No: 10/564,768

Group Art Unit: 1614

Filed: January 17, 2006

Examiner: POLANSKY, G.

For: **ALKALINE SALTS OF PROTON PUMP INHIBITORS**

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Note: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule 65 Fed.Reg. 50092 9Aug. 16, 2000; Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off.Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice

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1.1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. Previously submitted

1. Consider the amendments(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on .

Reply Brief

b. X Enclosed

1. XX Amendment/Reply
2. XX Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
3. _____ Information Disclosure Statement(IDS)
4. _____ Other _____.

2. Miscellaneous

a. ___ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under
37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____

____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. Other _____

3. Fees

(The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed)

1. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Acct. No. 14-0112.
- i. X RCE fee of \$ 810.00 required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (e) is enclosed.
- ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. Other _____.

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